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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Donovan
Serial No.: 09/535,045

Filed: March 24, 2000

For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND)
ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR)
CALCULATING A LEVEL OF DETAIL)
DURING COMPUTER GRAPHICS)
PROCESSING)

Docket: NVIDP013/P000176

Examiner: Wallace, Scott A. Group Art Unit: 2671

Date: May 24, 2004

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AMENDMENT B

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed on 02/24/04, please enter the following amendments regarding the above application: